# SUBMARINE CRISIS AGAIN AVERTED

## Feeling At Washington That No Drastic Action Will Be Taken

## President Will Deal With Situation In Comprehensive Manner

Washington, April 13.-President what action he will take in the submarine crisis with Germany. The probability that he will resort to auother note as a means of dealing with dale. per has greatly increased. There is tion will be taken by the United ernment. States and that the crisis is again safely passed.

Secretary Lansing declined to af firm or dony the report that another freighters in the war zone which are note was in contemplation. It is understood, however, that he has all nitions to the enemy. ready gathered accumulative evidence pledge not to sink liners without tending to show that recent submarine attacks have jeopardized American lives, and that in addition he will erdeavor to obtain from Berlin a promise that merchantmen operating near the Pritish Isles will not be sunk | crew they would be to all intents and without warning. In the negotiations between Secretary Lansing and Count | emy Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, on the recent Arabic case. Mr. Lansing pressed the point of obtaining the same guarantees for merchantmen operating in the British war zone as Germany conceded for freighters operating in the Mediterra- planation. nean. Germany refused. Secretary Lansing is understood to believe that tais point should now be emphasized. GERMANS EMPLOY but, according to the German embassy, the imperial government will make no concessions along this line watil Great Britain modifies the

### DID NOT ATTACK SUSSEX

Germany Justifies Sinking of Five Freight Ships.

Berlin, April 13.-The German gov ernment's reply to the American inquiries regarding the recent destruction and attacks on five steamers, has been handed to Ambassador

# DEATH OF

Cincinnati, April 13.-S. Jerome Uhl, Sr., seventy-four, one of the most widely known artists in this section with vigor. of the country, died at his home in Walnut Hills. During his life as an artist he had painted the portraits of many prominent men of the United States, and a number of his works are in the capitol at Columbus and

# HOTEL MAN

Newark, O., April 13.-Of forty-one parted." indictments returned by the grand jury, one was for murder and two for manslaughter. James Wertz was indicted for murder. Augustus Kern and Arthur Grubb are charged with manslaughter, being held responsible for the deaths of five men when Kern's hotel was burned two years Kern also is charged in seven indictments with setting fire to the

Germany denies all blame in con-Wilson still remains undecided as to nection with the explosion on the channel steamer Sussex, but admits that German submarines sank the freighters Englishman, Manchester Engineer, Eagle Point and Berwin-These sinkings are defended the situation in a comprehensive man- as having been legitimate and the suggestion is made to refer them to The Hague in case this "legality" is a distinct feeling that no drastic ac- disputed by the United States gov-

> Germany does not understand how the United States can legally object to submarine operations aimed at being used to bring supplies or muwarning any way is not held to apply to freighters where there are presumably no Americans aboard. There are no passengers on these ships, and if Americans happened to be among the purposes in the services of the en-

> The conclusion drawn by the foreign office is that the Sussex, like the British steamer Tubitania, struck a British mine. The foreign office expects the United States will be entirely satisfied with the German ex-

# FLAMING LIQUIDS

### French Repel Infantry Attacks Near Le Mort Homme.

Paris, April 13 .- The Germans atwere used as a cover for the attack, but the Cermans were repulsed.

This was the only infantry action he the Verdun sector in the course kalled every man in the expedition of the day, although German guns combarded the French lines on the west side of the river, particularly Hill 304, the region of Esnes and Le Mort Homme constantly, and also concentrated heavy fire on the Douaun.ont-Vaux sector. To these bombardments the French artillery replied

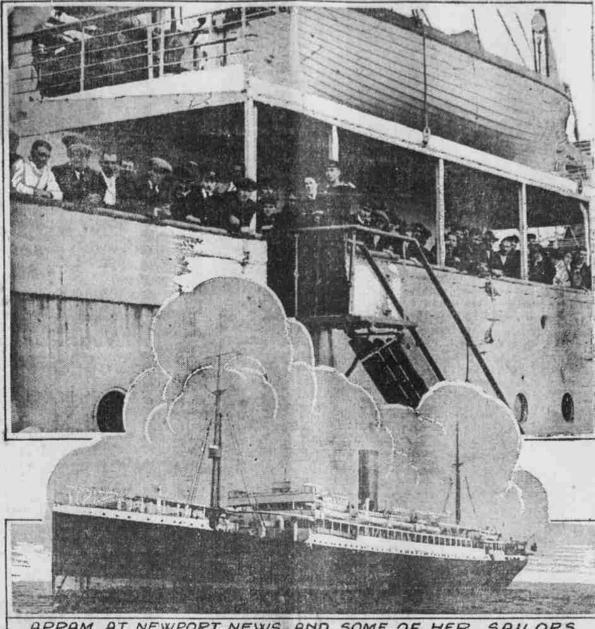
The attack on the eastern bank of the Meuse is regarded by French military writers as intended only to occupy the attention of the French while the Germans are bringing up further reinforcements, in order to continue the assaults against Le Mort Homme. Hill 304 and the other obstacles confronting them on the western bank of the river.

Willis Names Mother's Day. Columbus, April 13.-Governor Wil. lis in a proclamation expressing a ity of gasoline. beautiful tribute to motherhood, set aside Sunday, May 14, as Mother's day: 'He asks that flags be displayed on public buildings and that citizens wear "a bright flower for mothers living and a white flower for mothers de-

Claims to Be Wife of Thaw. she was married to Harry K. Thaw in Buffalo Oct. 6, 1902, and lived with him until December, 1903, Christina Thaw of St. Louis filed suit for divorce in the circuit court here asking maintenance and the custody of their twelve-year-old daughter, Lady Cwen colyn Clammens.

## GERMANS FIGHT LIBEL PROCEEDINGS

TO RESTORE APPAM TO BRITISH



APPAM AT NEWPORT NEWS AND SOME OF HER

by the German sea raider Moewe, cre-

the date for the libel proceedings commanding the Moewe and fighting He reported a few days ago that the against the former British steamer the attempt to return her to her orig- vessel was leaking badly with four Appam, now lying off Newport News, inal British owners, asserts that the feet of water in her hold. Berg says Va., in charge of a German prize Appam was in an unseaworthy condicrew. The arrival of the Appam in tion when she put into Hampton Dakkar, Africa, just before her cap-American waters, after her capture Roads on Feb. 1 and he had a right ture by the German raider Moewe.

she was damaged by going ashore off

poisons, was found in many of the small streams in the Sierra Madres when the American forces first marched through that section on the hunt for Pancae Villa and his bandits. Car cases of dead animals had also been tacked the French positions in the dragged into many of the water Bois des Caurettes, just west of Cu- courses to contaminate the water. mierres and between that village and This information was confirmed by a Le Mort Homme. Flaming liquids chemist, vhe accompanied the American troops on tacir expedition for the purpose of analyzing the water. The cyanide of potassium was found in one stream in such amount to have

El Paso, Tex., April 13.—Cyanide of Several mining companies in the reportance of the deadlest of sion reported thefts of this deadly cars and Alliance city lines are tied poison from their concentrating up following a strike by sixty-one em

plants. Boys Suspected of Burglary. Marion, O., April 13.-Bloodhounds were put on the trail of burglars who entered the Thibauts & Mautz store and stole \$306 worth of razors and knives. Boys are suspected. The same store was entered a week ago.

Theater Boat Sinks. Cincinnati, April 13.—The theater boat "New idea," a floating moving picture vessel, sunk in the Ohio river, efter it crashed head-on onto a pier if the soldiers had drunk of the water of the Southern bridge, near the Kenbefore an analysis had been made. tucky shore.

# GERMAN PRISONER'S CLAIM; CAN MAKE DYESTUFFS

dential agent, will show at the pent- | weapons. tentiary that he can make dyestuffs, and also produce a very high qual-

Dr. Ritter is a skilled chemist and Dr. Ritter is a skilled chemist and asserts he is the inventor of "liquid fire." "I worked in a German dye factory as confidential chemist and i positively know the process," said Dr. Ritter.

Mrs. Ritter, wife of the prisoner, is on her way to Columbus from Cleveland with small quantities of ma-St. Louis, April 13.—Declaring that terial with which Dr. Ritter declared he will demonstrate that valuable dyestuffs, now so scarce in this country. permission to work on his plan of abstracting gasoline of a high quality. Ritter was arrested in Cleveland last juries.

Columbus, April 13.—Dr. Emerich | fall for alleged complicity in the Welland canal plots. The charge was Ritter, self-confessed German confi- later changed to carrying concealed

Toledo, April 13 .- Mrs. Joseph Beacan be made fro. cheap products. leski, seventy five, was run down by Warden Thomas also has given him a motorcycle and her skull fractured. a motorcycle and her skull fractured. Ignatz Nowenski, the motorcycle driver, is held by the police, pending ally in the same difficulty, it was annon-volatile, from natural gas. Dr. the outcome of Mrs. Bealeski's in-nounced.

# STRIKE AT

ployes of the Star Electric and Cleve land, Alliance and Mahoning Valley railroads. The men are demanding increases ranging from 8 to 20 per cent and recognition of the Amalga mated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes. Their present wage is from 21 to 27 cents an

Dayton, O., April 13.-This city has a genuine case of leprosy. Jacques J. Vasquez, a tailor, is the victim The discovery was made by the board of health a few days ago, but the fact was suppressed until the state board health a few days ago, but the fact was suppressed until the state board mediums, 39 80; pigs, 38 75; roughs, 38 85; was suppressed until the state board of health had passed upon the question. That body confirmed the diagnosis of the Payton board.

Hogs—Yorkers, 50 50; heavies, 39 80; heavies, 39 80; heavies, 39 80; heavies, 39 80; high, \$8 85; stags, \$7 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Wethers, \$7 60; boxs, 1,500; sheep and lambs, 1,000; calves, 250.

goes against shipments from nearby tambs, 1866 11 25 towns. The New York Central detowns. The New York Central declared an embargo of three days on goods being shipped on Ohio lines. The congestion is mainly on business

Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces belaine washed, ite, half blood combing. See 37c; three-eighths blood combing. See 37c; three-eighths blood combing. The congestion is mainly on business. houses. All Toledo roads are practic-

## DOES NOT SATISFY MORE MEN UNITED STATES

British Note on Seizure of Pas-

### TO CONTINUE NEGOTIATIONS

No Precedent, In Secretary Lansing's Opinion, Which Would Justify the Seizure On the Ground That the Men Had Engaged In Plots In the Far East-Great Britain's Conten-

Washington, April 13.-Great Britain's note on the seizure of thirtyeight Austrians, Germans and Turks from the American steamer Caina, near Shanghal, does not close the case to the satisfaction of the United

It was said at the state department that the seizures probably would be the subject of further correspondence soon. Secretary Lansing is of the opinion that there is no precedent which would uphold Great Britain's attempt to justify the seizure on the ground that the men had engaged in plots in the far east, and were on their way to Manila to continue their efforts against the allies.

The position of the United States is that subjects of a belligerent government may not be removed from an American vessel on the high seaseven though they properly may be considered military persons but not actually members of the armed forces. The note was made public by the state department. It follows the line of argument previously indicated, and contends that the persons were not clothed with the immunity which would attach to enemy subjects who merely were traveling.

Great Britain alleges that the prischers were engaged for some time past in the collection and transmission of arms and ammunition, both for clandestine transmission to India and, if possible, for the arming of a ship to play the part of a far eastern Moewe, and were bound for Manila to continue their work having been exposed to the British authorities at

The neutrality of the United States rould have been compromised, the note contends, had the prisoners performed the acts they had in contemdeprived them of protection from the American flag, under which they were sailing.

The British government argues that the removals were perfectly justified and trusts that the United States will not feel further disposed to contend the action.

### LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

EAST BUFFALO, April 13.

Cattle—Prime steers, \$3 356/10; sninping. \$8 506/9 50; butchers, \$7 306/9 20;
helfers \$6 506/8 75; cows, \$4 156/7 65;
bulls, \$5 256/7 75; fresh cows and springers, \$506/100; calves \$44711 25.

Hors—Heavy \$10 05/010 16; mixed, \$10
610 10; Yorkers, \$8 256/10 15; pigs, \$8 75
09; roughs, \$96/9 10; stags, \$6 506/7 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$6 506/7 50.

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Receipts—Cattle, 100; hogs, 1,500; sheep
and lambs, 2,400.

PITTSBURGH, April 18.
Cattle—Choice fat steers, \$3@9 50;
butcher steers, \$8 25@8 65; hetters, \$6 75
67 50; cows, \$6 75@7 50; bulls, \$6@6 65;
top calves, \$11.
Hogs—Heavies, \$10@10 05; heavy York-

HOGS-Heavies, \$100 to 05; neavy fork-era, \$10 05@10 12\(\frac{1}{2}\); light Yorkers, \$9 25. \$3 50; pigs, \$8 75\(\text{if}\) 2. Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$7 90; top lambs, \$10. Receipts—Hogs, 2,000; sheep and lambs, \$,000; caives, 100.

CINCINNATI, April 18. Toledo, April 13.—The congested condition of freight here led to the establishment of temporary embar some against shipments from nearby temporary shipments from nearby temporary shipments from nearby temporary embar tempo

BOSTON, April 13.

TOLEDO, April 13. Wheat, \$1 56: corn, 77%c; oats, 47%c. elover seed, \$10 27%

# OR RETIRE

sengers From American Boat. Is U. S. Army Situation In Mexico

> Pershing's Line Now Strung Out For Five Hundred Miles.

## MILITIA MAY BE SUMMONED

Uncle Sam Must Secure Use of Mexican Railways For Transporting of Supplies or Employ Additional Troops-No Stock Taken in Reports of Villa's Death-Mexican Sit-

El Paso, Tex., April 13,-Militla of some states, probably those of the southwest, will have to be summoned for Mexican duty unless the United States army retires from Mexico or secures the use of the Mexican railways for transporting all supplies, according to information in military circles on the border.

With the information received here from the south that General Pershing's advance had proceeded south of Parral in its hunt for Pancho Villa and his bandits, it was established in the minds of army men that he must have more forces in a short time or retire from the field. The line of communication is strung out now for almost 500 miles, over some of the most uncertain country on the continent, and the small number of troops in the expedition makes it impossible to much longer maintain it in safety.

That General Persning takes little stock in the circumstantial stories told by the natives of the death of the bandit leader is evidenced by his activity in pressing his forces south after the fleeing band, last known to be in the company of Villa himself. The exact location of these troops was not given, but a message absolutely authentic said they were south of Parral. This message came from the same sources as one which reported the command last seen with Villa as fleeing for Guadalupe Calvo.

### AMERICAN KILLED

Bandit Raid Reported In Vicinity of Guaymas, Sonora.

San Diego. Cal., April 13.-Several Americans have been killed or wounded in bandit raids in the vicinity of Guaymas, Sonora, according to a naval radio message received here. The message was forwarded to the pavy department at Washington and

Receipts—Cattle, 100; hogs. 1,500; sheep and lambs, 2,400.

CHICAGO, April 13.

Cattle—Native beef steers \$7 90@10; stockers and feeders. \$8 100#8 55; cows and helfers. \$4 10@9 10; calves. \$7 25@10.

Hogs—Light. \$9 20%9 75; mixed. \$9 25 @9 75; heavy. \$9 15@9 75; roughs. \$9 15 @9 30; pigs. \$7 25@8 75.

Sheep and Lambs—Wethers. \$7@ 9 40; hambs. \$7 75@11 90.

Receipts—Cattle, 12,000; hogs. 18,000; sheep and lambs. 14,000.

CLEVELAND, April 12. Cattle—Choice fat steers, \$8 5069; butcher steers, \$767 75; helfers, \$768; butcher steers, \$5 5067 50; calves, lieved Villa led the raid. many thousands of dollars' worth of American property and looting the town of everything of value. It is be-

> Child Swallows Pin. Frement, O., April 13 .- Four-yearold Gwendolin Weiker died after swallowing a pin.

# SUCCESSOR

Columbus, April 13 .- Appointment of Dr. G. H. Williams of Columbus as acting superintendent of the Columbus state hospital to fill the vacancy created by the death of Dr. C. F. Gilham, killed in an automobile accident. was made by T. E. Davey of the board of administration and later was approved by the other members. Dr. Williams has been first assistant superintendent.